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entering search criteria for locating at least one hypertext document based on a geographic position; and

receiving a search result indicating the hypertext document located in accordance with the search criteria,

wherein the located hypertext document is accessible from another server different from the one server of the plurality of servers,

wherein the hypertext document includes geographic position information in a metatag.

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25. (Amended) A machine-readable storage medium including program codes, which upon execution, cause a machine to perform the steps comprising of receiving search criteria based upon a geographic position; and

searching the world wide web for a hypertext document that is accessible on a computer connected by a communication network in accordance with the search criteria,

wherein the hypertext document has a name based upon geographic location information related to content of the hypertext document.

REMARKS

Claims 1-13, 15-19, 21-26, 28 and 29 remain pending in this application. Claims 1, 7, 15 and 25 are the independent claims. Claims 1 and 25 have been amended.

In the Office Action, Claims 1-6, 25, 26, 28 and 29 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103 as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent 5,852,810 (Sotiroff et al.) in view of WO 97/14054 (Girerd).

Applicant also notes with appreciation that Claims 7-13, 15-19 and 21-24 are allowed